CITY OF SAN DIEGO Mayor



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The Right Leader For Challenging Times

As Mayor I'll:

- 1. Renegotiate or break the pension plan agreement. The solution is to tie pension benefits to the economic performance of its investment portfolio. We pay our taxes and fees to keep our city running. Not to subsidize a pension plan run amuck.
- 2. Create a solid economic foundation by making our city renewable energy, water and food self-sufficient through the development of our abundant renewable resources.

Renewable energy development is key. Just 20% coverage of our city's roofs and parking lots with solar (PV) panels will generate enough electricity to supply all our energy needs -- including enough to power large scale reverse osmosis systems to convert seawater into freshwater and to power the rapid growth of local food production for local consumption.

The more <u>local control</u> we have over our supply of energy, water and food, the stronger and more secure our economy and way of life will be. Additionally, self-sufficiency in these essentials will add \$25 billion of new economic activity to our city's economy each year.

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